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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**CONFIRMATION NO. 4571**

Applicants : Hirofumi WADA et al.  
Serial No. : 09/722,643                      Group Art Unit: 2616  
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For : PROGRAM RECORDING APPARATUS AND  
PROGRAM RECORDING MEDIUM

**RESPONSE TO PAPER NO. 7**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

A reply to the Office Action of March 2, 2005 (Paper No. 7) was due by June 2, 2005. Submitted herewith, together with the requisite fee, is a Petition to extend the response period for one month, up to and including July 2, 2005. Please accept this reply as timely filed.

Please amend the application as follows.